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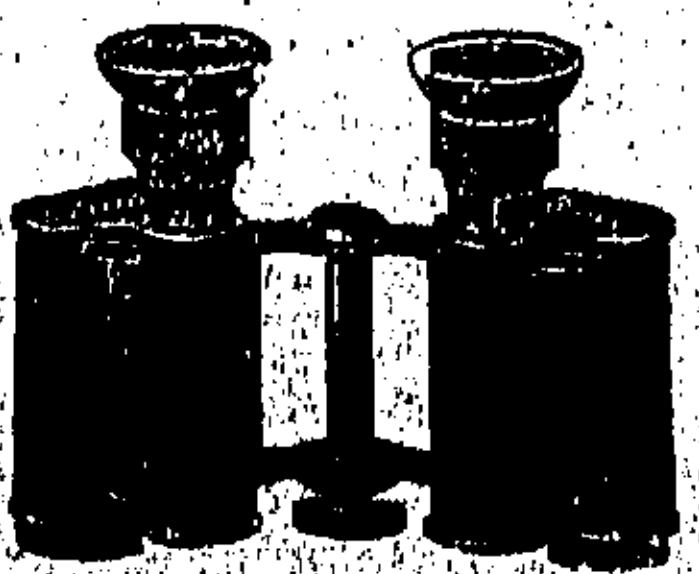
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FRANCO-ITALIAN INCIDENT CLOSED.

INQUIRY INTO ORIGIN OF FALSE REPORT.

PARIS, November 27.
The Italian Minister for Foreign Affairs, Signor Torretta read in the Chamber and Senate a telegram from Signor Schnitzer emphatically denying the report about M. Briand mocking the Italian army. The Premier, Signor Bonomi uttered regret that the Italian newspapers had dared to publish such a false and ridiculous report.—Havas.

PARIS, November 27.
The newspapers state that the French Government considers the Franco-Italian incident closed but has telegraphed Washington asking for an inquiry to be held with regard to the source of the false information cabled there.

WIESBADEN AGREEMENT.

BRITISH NOTE TO FRANCE.

PARIS, November 27.
Britain has sent a note to France asking by what means France proposes to safeguard Germany's other creditors, if the Wiesbaden agreement is enforced, declaring that Britain views with concern France's delay in ratifying the financial convention of August 13.

BRITISH IN CILICIA.

PARIS, November 27.
The British Ambassador in Paris, talking with Minister Bonnevay, the acting premier, informed him that the London Cabinet proposed to send a warship to embark British nationals wanting to leave Cilicia.—Havas.

KIPLING HONOURED.

LONDON, November 27.
Mr. Rudyard Kipling has received the diploma of doctor of letters from the University of Strasbourg.—Havas.

BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE.

OFFICIAL RECEIVER'S STATEMENT.

WHAT WINDING-UP WOULD MEAN.

When approached by a China Mail reporter to-day with a request for information about the position of the Banque Industrielle de Chine, the Official Receiver, Mr. H. A. Nisbet, who is the provisional liquidator, said that the Special Manager, Mr. E. A. M. Williams, under his supervision, had been and was still collecting the assets of the Hongkong branch.
Mr. Nisbet said that if the winding-up order were eventually made the question would arise as to the disposal of the legal assets which, it was gathered, would not be sufficient to pay more than a very small dividend to the legal creditors even if it were decided that such creditors were the only ones who were entitled to participate in them.

In reply to further inquiry, Mr. Nisbet said that the Special Manager received such remuneration as the Court ordered and that he (the Official Receiver) received no remuneration personally as provisional liquidator but certain fees were paid to the Government for the work done by him.

BOATWOMEN QUARREL.

FIGHT WITH CHOPPER ON THE PRAYA.

Two boatwomen had a quarrel on the Praya on Saturday afternoon. One of them, aged about 50 years, was removed to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from a ugly wound on the left wrist alleged to have been inflicted by the other with a chopper. Although she lost a lot of blood before her wound was dressed, the wounded woman is not in any danger of her life. The alleged assailant is in police custody.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/8 1/8.
To-day's opening rate 2/7 1/8.

WASHINGTON CONFERENCE.

HARDING'S SUGGESTION.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.
President Harding's opinion in favour of continuing the international conference is universally approved. It is pointed out unofficially that Britain is always very anxious to participate in any movement to promote the peace of the world. The President's suggestion however is felt at present to be more or less an American domestic question on which it would not be proper to express an opinion until details have been worked out and Congress has drafted a scheme, fully approved by the American people.

BEATTY PLEASED.

OTTAWA, November 27.
Addressing the Canadian Club, Earl Beatty said that the fact he was able to accept their invitation indicated that on naval questions all went well at Washington where the governing principles had been universally accepted. Therefore if the conference were to close to-morrow it would have accomplished something towards releasing the world from the great burden of armaments. The limits imposed were not derogatory to the dignity of the British Empire which on sea would be as safe in the future as it had been in the past.

FRANCE STILL BITTER.

WASHINGTON, November 27.
Asked with regard to the French attitude towards the proposal to admit Germany to the present and future conferences, M. Viviani replied that France would refrain from discussing the question until "those who have violated human rights manifest a sincere repentance for a long period."

AMERICAN ARMY OF OCCUPATION.

MORE DETACHMENTS LEAVING.

ANTWERP, November 27.
The American transport "Cantigny" is sailing for America with 600 soldiers from the American army of occupation and the bodies of 800 American soldiers killed in France. Other transports with more American detachments sail shortly. Le Journal states that the American army of occupation will be reduced to 7,000 men.

INDIAN ROPE TRICK.

LORD F. HAMILTON'S QUEER STORY.

A wealth of breezy and entertaining tales is contained in Lord Frederic Hamilton's "Here, There, and Everywhere" (just published: Hodder and Stoughton, 15s net). He recounts his experiences and adventures on four continents, and passes lightly from Indian jugglers and big-game shooting to life in the West Indies.

One of his best tales is that of the Indian rope-trick. It was told him by Colonel Barnard, at one time chief of the Calcutta police, who was taken with one of his subordinates, equipped with a camera, to a house where the trick was to be performed.

"They were ushered into a small courtyard thick with the dense smoke arising from two braziers burning mysterious compounds. The juggler produced a long coil of rope. To Colonel Barnard's inexpressible surprise, the rope began paying away, and went straight up into the air. Colonel Barnard nodded it. It went up and up till their eyes could no longer follow it. He nodded it again. Then a small boy standing by the juggler, commenced climbing up this rope, suspended to nothing. He was hoisted."

The boy disappeared; the juggler followed, and was photographed. Finally he came down and explained that he had killed the boy, when he pulled the rope down and the boy reappeared, smiling. Now comes the sequel.

Colonel Barnard went into his darkroom and developed his negative with an astounding result. Neither the juggler, nor the boy, nor the rope had moved at all.

The mind had been tricked, but not the camera.
Of the horrors of an elaborate dinner at an Indian Maharajah's Lord Frederic gives an amusing account. He was expected to eat "snips" stewed in rose-water and chicken dressed in sadolich, which he did not find troublesome. Nor did the bread fruit of the West Indies appeal to him.

ANOTHER BURGLARY.

THIEF USES DUPLICATE KEY.

The first floor of No. 18, Wing-shing Street was entered by the open verandah window last night. Nineteen pieces of jewellery, worth \$420, were extracted from a locked box which was opened by means of a duplicate key.

The newspaper mail due by the s.s. "Euryalus" is expected on Wednesday morning.

The Kwangtung Provincial Treasury has handed the 10th Year's Budget of the province for the fiscal year commencing July, 1921 and ending June, 1922 to the Governor. The total amount of income is estimated at \$3,781,833 while the amount appropriated for the administrative expenditure of the province is \$3,767,363. Of the \$3,767,363 of expenditure, \$1,162,410 is appropriated for the administration of the Interior; \$526,400 for financial administration; \$1,981,835 for education; and \$96,558 for industry. Comparing the two amounts of income and expenditure, there is a balance of \$17,580. The budget has been presented by the Governor to the Provincial Assembly for approval.

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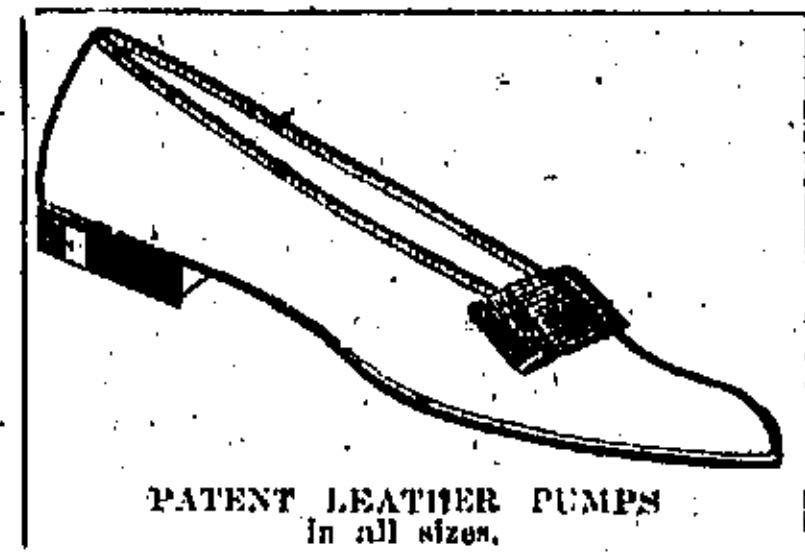
In a botanical garden in Ceylon he was shown by the curator the famous "upas tree."

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Action No. 213 of 1921.

BETWEEN

Wilkinson and Grist

Plaintiffs

and

Walter Ford and Company and

Fung Sek alias Fung Yan Sam partners

therein.

Defendants

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BISHOP ON BETS.**WOULD FORGIVE OWNERS OF
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"The people of this country have viewed with intense interest the efforts of the Church to face new problems," said Dr. Russell Wakefield, the Bishop of Birmingham, in his presidential address to the Church Congress at Birmingham. He proceeded, in the course of a comprehensive survey, to consider the attitude of the Church to such diverse matters as gambling, Labour troubles, the cinema, the treatment of adolescents, and Sunday recreations.

With regard to gambling the Bishop said: "The greatest danger in my judgment in modern days of so called amusement is the way in which gambling has permeated all classes and both sexes, but I am still prepared to forgive the owner of a racehorse backing in a moderate way the chances of the beautiful animal he has trained and takes a pride in."

"If the Church will denounce the turning of everything to do with the racecourse into a means of gambling by people who hardly know a horse from a cow; if it will tell those who play bridge and other games the greater part of every day that they are merely wasting their existence and proving themselves cumberers of the ground, if it will tell some of our women that the using of their telephones day after day with their stockbrokers and racing agents for the purpose of getting some money for dress and frivolity is wasting their time; if it will tell the working man that he ought to be able to enjoy his games without constantly betting on his football team; if it will distinguish between a vicious propensity and the harmless backing in a formed judgment, I think it will accomplish more than by a crude statement which by its exaggeration tends to make people disregard its voice."

Dr. Wakefield considered the difficulties of slack production. "What we have to do to-day as Church people is to awaken in the workers first greater pride in their work, and, secondly, an understanding as to how the greater leisure they now have should be used. In the past our country has achieved victory in her industrial warfare by the quality of her workmanship. The spirit of initiation and invention and thoroughness made up the English character. We must revive that spirit."

From work he turned to the consideration of play, and recorded the emphatic opinion that "our great cities are, on the whole, purer and

better places than they were when I was a young man. Our streets are not in the same sense places of temptation as they were.

VALUE OF THE CINEMA.

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Turning to the question of adolescent boys and girls, he said: "I am not satisfied that during recent years the parents' sense of responsibility has been fully recognised. I hate ignorance when it may possibly lead to a fall. As to the great mass of children in our elementary schools, we have to lean heavily on the class of person to whom the country owes more and shows less gratitude."

Dr. Wakefield believes in brighter Sundays. "The old-fashioned service was not likely to be able to keep young people church-goers with all the new Sunday attractions, some of them quite harmless and some of them even beneficial, opened out before them."

MODERN MARRIAGE.**WOMEN WHO HOPED FOR WIDOW'S
PENSIONS.**

A paper on "Sexual Relationships" was read to the section considering Christian morals by Dr. E. B. Turner, a London medical practitioner. Referring to the increase in divorce, he said that most of the recent petitions were the aftermath of war weddings, which were rushed through when both bride and bridegroom were in a highly emotional state.

The desire to make an honest woman of a casual paramour actuated others, and many young fellows were exploited in marriage as a commercial proposition by women in order that they might enjoy the separation allowance and a possible widow's pension.

At present the ideas of many people as to matrimony were striking and peculiar. Marry in haste, sample your husband, to test your wife; and if the goods be not up to expectations do not set your teeth and battle bravely through trout-lesome years, but either by calculated adultery or collusive perjury be freed from that which should have been a holy and enduring union.

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A. Scholz, a son.

TOLLES.—On November 18, 1921,
at Shanghai, to Vice-Consul and
Mrs. S. H. Tolles, a son, Sheldon
King.

FITZSIMMONS.—On November 20,
1921, at Shanghai, to Mr. and
Mrs. A. E. Fitzsimmons, a son.

ZANKL.—On November 20, 1921,
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N. Zankl, a daughter.

UPSON.—On November 20, 1921,
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Clarence S. Upson, a daughter.

KNIGHT.—On November 19, 1921,
at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. W.
J. Knight, O. M. Customs, a
daughter, Margaret.

HATHERLY.—On November 22,
1921, at Shanghai, to Mr. and
Mrs. A. H. Hatherly, a son.

DEATH.

IRONSIDE.—On November 19,
1921, at Shanghai, Mary Joan,
the infant daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Wm. Ironside.

MOODIE.—On November 19, 1921,
at Shanghai, Arthur William
Moodie (Dockmaster Tunkadoo
Dock), aged 32 years.

The China Mail.

"STRICTLY JUSTICE PUBLIC SERVICE"

HONGKONG, MONDAY, NOV. 28, 1921.

NO BRITISH ANTIPATHY YET.

This morning's *Daily Press* had a
special article entitled "British
Antipathy to Canton." Is there such
an antipathy? We function in a
British community, and we do not

human, and quite reasonable attitude
although it cannot and does not pose
as a highly altruistic one.

Of the British official attitude we
cannot speak with the same confi-
dence, because officials do not
explain their attitude to us with
the same frankness. We do not
believe they feel antipathy, however,
to the de facto government at Canton.
We do not believe that the offensive
notices put up by the Chinese
secretariat were an indication of the
policy of that department, since (in
the diplomatic sense) it can have none.
We consider that in pursuance of a
strictly local object, coming within
the confines of his proper job, namely,
to keep the peace among the Chinese
resident in our midst, the official
responsible used his personal opinion
as to probabilities as a likely argument
to suit his purpose. We have not
asked him, and we are subject to
correction. Official antipathy here,
in such a matter, is extremely unlikely,
and the most indications are to the
contrary.

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we have the best of reasons for know-
ing that "Orin Keith" was talking
without reason. If we take his words
literally, which say that our editor
personally is unpopular, that
can be explained in many other ways
than on this crazy assumption that
we have "condemned the whole
British attitude." The "enfant
terrible" is never really popular in its
own domestic circle, where its indis-
cret revelations and its inconsiderate
truthfulness occasionally embarrasses.
But that isn't true, either, of any
individual member of our staff. This
special article is typical of so much
modern journalism which, with in-
sufficient information in its posses-
sion, nevertheless professes to instruct
the public, and is utterly reckless in
its statements.

Than his suggestion of "economical"
rivalry between Hongkong and Can-
ton "Orin Keith" could scarcely
have designed anything better, cal-
culated to exhibit his utter incompre-
hension of the position. Heaven and
himself alone know where he did his
"little digging beneath the surface."
This matter is on the surface, much
more conspicuous than our war
memorial. The fact is that the more
Canton prospers, the more Hongkong
prosper. We are more like man and
wife than business rivals. It is fair to
mention that the *Daily Press* disagrees
with its contributor here.

But we have said enough, we hope,
about pronouncements that should
die of their own absurdity. The refer-
ence to ourselves (it could, in spite
of the lack of foundation for it,
mean no other) compelled so much
notice. It might, in the minds of the
thoughtless, set up a legend which
might hamper us in the future. We
therefore "chop" it at once, as the
Banks do bad notes. We "chop" it
Bosh.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

One case of puerperal fever
British, was notified on Friday.

To-morrow afternoon Messrs.
Lammert Bros. will auction a
quantity of household furniture.

A wooden lighter with necessary
gear will be sold by Messrs. Lammert
Bros. at noon to-morrow. Seventy
feet long it has a capacity of 120 tons.

Among the passengers who arrived
from the North by the "Katori
Maru" were Sir Ellis Kadoorie, Mr.
and Mrs. J. R. Wood, and Mr. and
Mrs. A. E. Northey.

Messrs. Hughes and Hough ad-
vertise a furniture auction for to-
morrow afternoon, also the sale of a
baby grand piano and several lots of
St. Lambert glass ware, marble
statuettes, fancy goods, etc.

Commander and Mrs. Beckwith,
Mrs. H. W. Bird, Mrs. H. M. Birkett,
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tarrant and Mr.
and Mrs. A. S. Mackinnon are passen-
gers by the "Mishima Maru" which
left London on November 1.

The 40 Chinese Christian
Churches in Canton are engaged in an
active purity campaign. Special
lectures are being held, and an orga-
nized "crusade" is being conducted
against the concubine system, pro-
stitution, impure books and shows
and girl slavery.

Mr. Lee Yao-ding, a prominent
member of the Shanghai Chinese com-
munity, died last week. Mr. Lee
Yao-ding was on the Committee of
the Chinese General Chamber of
Commerce and was lately President of
the Chinese Export Association, of
which he was the founder, and also
of the Chinese Egg Product
Manufacturers. For the last 17
years he had been proprietor of the
Bikhan Trading Co. Both foreigners
and Chinese held him in high esteem,
especially for many benevolent works
he carried out.

SPECIAL CABLE.

SMALL POX.

SHANGHAI EPIDEMIC STILL
SERIOUS.

HONGKONG MAN'S DEATH.

(China Mail Special.)

SHANGHAI, Nov. 28.
Small pox is still serious. There
are many more foreign and Chinese
cases compared with previous years.
The latest foreign victim is Mr. Awdry,
a reporter on the *Shanghai Sunday*
Times who recently arrived from
Hongkong. Practically the whole of
the foreign community was vaccinated.
Mr. Awdry was ill for one week and
died this morning.

[Mr. Awdry, who was still quite a
young man, was with the *Hongkong*
Telegraph for several months prior to
his departure to Shanghai recently.
He leaves a mother and sisters in New
Zealand.]

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

All firms, clubs, etc., who have
not yet returned particulars for in-
sertion in the Dollar Directory are re-
quested to do so immediately to No.
5, Wyndham Street. Particulars of
new firms etc. will be gladly received
for inclusion in the Directory.

One case of paratyphoid fever,
Chinese, was reported on Saturday.

Mr. J. R. Wood resumed his
duties at the Magistracy this morning
as Senior Police Magistrate.

Particulars are advertised in this
issue of a Government scholarship
open to boys and girls, of \$1,000 per
annum for four years, tenable at the
Hongkong University.

The Tokyo Salvage Company's
sloop "Azuma Maru" which left
Hongkong last week to go to the spot
near the Parcel Islands where the
"New York Maru" was wrecked put
back into Hongkong yesterday morn-
ing after she had got half way to her
destination. The weather outside was
too rough for her.

Revenue Officers under Chief
Preventive Officer Watt raided the
second floor of No. 10, Taiwoo Street
at 12.30 this morning and arrested
two men who were caught in the act
of preparing illicit opium in the cook-
house. They were charged before
Magistrate Wood this morning and
sentenced to three months' jail each
without the option of a fine.

The construction of the Southern
extension of the Yuek Shau-maloo,
Canton was completed yesterday
afternoon and the new maloo was
immediately opened to traffic. The
extension is 6,000 feet in length,
connecting the Ta Sha Tau Station
of the Canton-Kowloon Railway and
the northern section of the Yuek
Shau-maloo.

Vice Admiral Sir Alexander Duff
is in hospital at Shanghai owing to a
gunshot wound in the hand due to an
accident which befell him during a
shooting trip. Captain P. R. Stevens
p.s.o., of H. M. S. "Alacrity" has
also been on the sick list. The
"Alacrity" was due to leave
Shanghai for Hongkong on November
23 but now her departure has been
put off until the end of the month.

The letter writer alleged to have
swindled a widow out of eleven pieces
of clothing, a pair of ear-rings and
\$94 in money sent to her by a daugh-
ter at Singapore, was this morning
discharged by Magistrate Lindell.
Sergeant Stimson having said that he
had no further evidence to offer. The
Sergeant said he could not trace the
two men to whom the defendant
alleged he had delivered the property
to give to the woman. Further
he did not think that he could get
the daughter here to prove the letter,
which the defendant was alleged to
have written to her representing
himself to be her step-father and
requesting her to send the property
through him.

The Bishop of Victoria (the
Right Rev. Dr. C. R. Dupper) was
the preacher at St. Andrew's Church,
Kowloon, on Sunday morning where
the annual service of the Church Men's
Society was held. For his text the
Bishop chose a phrase from Ephes-
ians: "Unto a perfect man." He
began by expressing his gratification
at the formation of the Society and
noted with pleasure its growing in-
fluence. He went on to ask by what
means it could fulfil its highest use-
fulness, and by what means the
individual men and women, who
were to attain to full growth, man-
hood and womanhood. There were
three ways—service, fellowship and
worship.

BOXING.

HONGKONG FEATHERWEIGHT
CHAMPIONSHIP.

SENSATIONAL ENDING.

STOKER BRITT KNOCKS OUT

TEDDY NEAL.

The Hongkong Boxing Association
held their first tournament of the
season at the Theatre Royal on Satur-
day night in the presence of a large
gathering of followers of the "manly
art."

Amongst those noted at the ring-
side were H.E. the Governor, the
Chief Justice, Hon. Dr. Claud
Severn, Hon. Mr. C. McI.
Messer, Hon. Mr. S. B. C. Ross,
Mr. C. A. D. Melbourne, Mr. Eldon
Potter, Mr. F. C. Jenkin, Mr. R. M.
Dyer, Mr. J. Scott Harrison, Mr. J. H.
Taggart, Dr. Forsyth, Dr. N. Teesdale,
Mackintosh and Dr. G. M. Harston
(medical officer in attendance).

The public will be gratified to learn
that the Association have decided to
hold all their tournaments at the
Theatre Royal this season instead of
the Ming Yuen Gardens, thus obviat-
ing the necessity of travelling a
long distance in a tram car in cold
weather.

There were six contests on the pro-
gramme, a lightweight mill between
A. N. Bealing, "Colombo" 130lbs
and St. Gathergood, "Ambrose"
132lbs; a welterweight bout between
H. S. Burleigh, Hongkong, 147lbs and
A. B. Hurdley, "Colombo" 145lbs; two
featherweight contests, one for the
Championship of the Colony and
the Scott Harrison belt between
"Teddy" Neal, Hongkong, (holder)
126lbs and Ldg. St. Britt, "Cairo,"
126lbs and the other between Ldg.
Snn. Dott "Ambrose" 124lbs and
A. B. Hindle "Curlew" 124lbs; a
heavyweight contest between Ldg.
Snn. Oliver "Colombo" 160lbs and
Ldg. St. Jones "Ambrose" 152lbs;
and a middleweight bout between A.
B. Campbell "Cairo" 160lbs and
Ldg. Snn. Pragnell "Colombo" 149lbs.

The referees for the evening were
Messrs. W. Logan and J. S. McCann
and Major Rapson, D.S.O. The
duties of judges were in the hands of
Lieut. Hake, R.N., Lieut. Cavis-
Brown, R.N., Lieut. Bell, R.N.,
and Dr. Forsyth, Lieut. King,
R.N., had charge of the
scales. Messrs W. Pitt and A. B.
Allan were the time-keepers. The
manager, Mr. J. Brooks, as usual, per-
formed the duties of M. C.

The preliminary bouts which filled
the first part of the programme, were
more or less of the orthodox variety.
Neither of the contestants in a bout
showing much science, and when a
good man like Ldg. St. Jones stepped
into the ring he was faced by a novice
who proved an easy victim.

The Championship bout proved a
sensational victory for Britt who had
Neal down and out in 33 seconds, only
about half-a-dozen blows having
been exchanged. The middleweight
bout, which coupled the Championship
contest in the second part of the
programme was also a short affair.
Campbell who had the advantage of
11 lbs. disposing of Pragnell in 62
seconds, after the latter had opened
well and taken the fight to his heavier
opponent. The brevity of these two
bouts had the effect of shortening the
programme so that the house emptied
soon after 11 o'clock.

THE BOUTS.
Descriptions of the bouts follow:—

LIGHTWEIGHT.

GATHERGOOD K.O. BEALING.

This bout, which was scheduled to
last six two-minute rounds, was finish-
ed in the fourth session.

The boxers went for each other
hammer and tongs right from the
start, Bealing setting the pace and
Gathergood covering up. Bealing
wasted his strength punching
Gathergood's gloves. The latter was
content to bide his time, occasionally
letting fly with a wallop that told on
his opponent. However, Bealing re-
fused to change his methods and con-
tinued to box his way in. This proved
his undoing. Both specialists in face
punches, with the result that blood
flowed freely in the first round.
Bealing was distinctly pulled at the
end of the second round, but he
was again the aggressor in the
third, keeping more close to
his dangerous opponent than was safe
for him. Towards the end of this
round, Gathergood took up the attack
and hummed his exhausted op-
ponent without retaliation. Bealing
was groggy when the bell came to
save him. Early in the fourth round
Gathergood got Bealing in difficulties
at the ropes and knocked him down
twice. Bealing took the full count in
the second fall, and had to be carried
to his corner. Bealing was the
sympathy of the audience for his
earlier performance, and was given a
rousing cheer as he left the ring still
dazed.

Referee: Mr. Logan.

This bout, which was scheduled to
last six two-minute rounds, was finish-
ed in the fourth session.

Referee: Mr. Logan.

WELTERWEIGHT.

HURDLEY BEAT BURLEIGH.

This bout went the whole of the
scheduled six rounds. Burleigh ex-
hibited excellent footwork early in
the fight and this coupled with his
smart dodges, kept him out of danger.
His attack, however, was harmless,
most of his blows missing their mark
by inches. The first round was a mild
affair with both men content to
"feel" each other. The second round
saw the exchange of some body blows,
but the boxers still kept away from
each other. In the third round they
mixed it a bit more freely. Hurdley
went for his man and had consid-
erably the better of the exchanges.
The pace was hot in the fourth round,
with Hurdley still to the fore. He
scored well and truly, and was a good
winner. Burleigh improved in the
fifth, although bleeding from the
nose. Taking up the offensive
he had his opponent thinking
for some time. He had slightly
the better of this round, but not
sufficient to discount Hurdley's lead.
Hurdley was the fresher man in the
last round, and taking the fight to
Burleigh chopped him cleverly, very
rarely receiving a counter. It was
Hurdley's round by a good margin,
and he earned the decision. Burleigh
was a good loser.

Referee: Major Rapson.

FEATHERWEIGHT.

DOTT BEAT HINDLE.

Dott was the aggressor from the
beginning of this six-round mill
which went the full distance.
He scored freely with a succe-
sion of quick, sharp blows
which gave Hindle a lot of trouble.
Hindle was on the run for two rounds,
but he stood his ground in the third
and giving blow for blow evened
matters up. Following the same
methods in the fourth, Hindle gave as
good as he received, landing two
beauties which made Dott think.
This was Hindle's round by a shade.
He scored three times to the face
towards the end without reply. Dott
increased the pace in the fifth, and
Hindle found it hot, but fought on
gamely and got through it even with
his opponent. Both were tired
in the sixth round and did not do
much damage. Dott kept up the fast
pace which told on his opponent and
scoring often was given the deci-
sion by a narrow margin.

Referee: Mr. McCann.

HEAVYWEIGHT.

JONES STOP OLIVER.

Although giving away 8 lbs, Jones
was too good for Oliver, the winner of
the novices' heavyweight champion-
ship at Weihaiwei earlier this year.
Besides the advantage in weight,
Oliver was a couple of inches
taller and had a longer reach.
However, he was not allowed to
use these advantages. This bout was
scheduled to go ten rounds but Oliver
skied the towel at the end of the
third. The first round was wasted in
"feeling" out. Oliver showed good
footwork but lacked initiative and
was content to let Jones call the tune.
Jones jabbed him several times on
the jaw without reply, and the round
closed in Jones's favour. The
second round was a repetition
of the first. Jones scored freely with
Oliver hitting the air, and what time
he did succeed in getting in a blow,
he did it so very mildly, as if afraid
to hurt his opponent. The end came
in the third. Jones tapped Oliver on
the point of the jaw and he went
down obviously finished, but the
gong saved him at nine. However,
he was unable to rise and had to be
carried to his corner. His seconds
threw in the towel.

Referee: Mr. Logan.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

BRITT K.O. NEAL.

This contest had a dramatic finish.
Both men turned the scale at 136 a
few minutes before taking the ring,
and appeared to be in fine trim. There
was no difference in their heights or
reaches. In view of the fine perfor-
mance which they gave at Ming Yuen
Gardens when Neal won on points,
everyone expected to see a good fight.
The betting among the audience was
even money.

Referee: Mr. Logan.

CORRESPONDENCE.

PUBLIC OPINION HERE CAN
BE ROBUST.

Sir,—I am convinced that the great
majority of your readers are of one
mind with the writer of the letter that
appeared in your issue of the 24th
above the nom de plume "One who,
thank God, is not in it." And even
regret that he should did not go further
and denounce the utter futility, apart
from the bad taste, of your "Social
Swim" articles.

Of the social events touched upon
by your neuritic contributor some
have been previously reported a-
length in your columns, while news of
the rest is not of the faintest interest
to the general public, or even to the
blessed few who attended them—
except of course those who love to see
their names in print. Mrs. Super
Taipan gives a small and very select
dance at 806 the Peak. Well, so
does Mrs. Under Clerk at Sparrow
Cottage, Ho Mun Tin. The one
event appeals to just as many people
as the other. Why then should the
former be chronicled and not the
latter? In England some of the
glamour of the Feudal Age still
hangs around a title and Society
Papers are legion; but in Hong-
kong we have no aristocracy of
birth. What do Kowloon or Quarry
Bay care about the doings of the Peak
plutocracy?

Surely you are but lowering the
tone of your paper by printing such
trifling trifles. Is the *China Mail*
to descend from its pedestal as
"censor morum" and demean itself
to become a mere "arbiter
elegantiarum"? I am,

Sir,
Yours faithfully,
"ONE WHO IS IN IT BUT NOT OF IT"
Hongkong, November 25, 1921.

RASMUSSEN RELEASED.

DUE IN HONGKONG TO-DAY.

Mr. J. Rasmussen, the A.P.C. man
who was captured by brigands two
months ago and has been a prisoner
ever since, is now a free man and will
be back in Hongkong to-day.

The news came through on Sunday
in a telegram to Mr. N. L. Watson,
general manager of the A.P.C. here.
Mr. Watson told a *China Mail*
reporter this morning that Mr.
Rasmussen would arrive in Hong-
kong this afternoon by the
day boat from Canton and
would at once be transferred to
hospital. No information has been
received yet as to the manner in
which Mr. Rasmussen's release was
effected.

Mr. Rasmussen was an up country
inspector for the A.P.C. and when
captured on October 1, was making
one of his usual trips up the Bamboo
River in a motor houseboat. His
party was fired on by a squad of men
lining the banks of the river and Mr.
Rasmussen, the pilot and the cook
were carried off. Mr. Rasmussen was
slightly wounded in the leg.

lightning and glanced him on the
point of the jaw. Neal tottered, and
a right to the neck sent him to the
canvas for the full count. The whole
thing was over before it had really
started, in 33 seconds. The cheering
from Britt's supporters was deafening,
and when H.E. the Governor fastened
the belt on Britt, his alimpates nearly
went wild. Neal was given his
share of the applause as he walked
out of the ring. There seems to
be nothing to account for
Neal's sudden defeat unless it is
the fact that Britt took him by sur-
prise by his aggressiveness right from
the start and he did not have time to
recover his wit. However, he himself
admitted afterwards that he was
beaten fairly. Neal wore an overcoat
when he entered the ring and kept it
on to the last minute. This gave the
impression that he must have been
unwell, but he made no such claim,
candidly admitting his defeat.

Referee: Major Rapson.

MIDDLEWEIGHT.

CAMPELL K.O. PRAGNELL.

This bout also ended suddenly. It
was scheduled to go six two-minute
rounds, but only lasted 62 seconds.
Although giving away 11 lbs, Pragnell,
winner of the novices' middleweight
championship at Weihaiwei this year,
took the fight to his opponent
and scored cleverly. Hitting
Campbell and dancing away
before the latter could retaliate.
Presently they mixed it at close
quarters. Pragnell got the mid-section
open in his eagerness to punish Camp-
bell. (Recall his chance, this latter
drove a short jab to Pragnell's
chin, twisting his wrist slightly as
he did so. Pragnell, who had the de-
fence, and Pragnell collapsed like a
rag doll, and Pragnell was counted
out. Neal made to cover up,
but Britt's left foot was quick as

Referee: Mr. McCann.

SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL.

"TAMAR" v. "TITANIA."

Played on Navy "A" ground before a large crowd of Servicemen. "Titania" won the toss and Grant started the game for the "Tamar" who were the first to get dangerous, but Wilkins cleared and play was transferred to the other end where Mitch was called on to save from Hopkins, and the "Tamar" again took up the attack and forced a corner off Knighton. Hill took the kick which went behind. "Tamar" continued to have the best of the game, and half time arrived with the score sheet blank.

In the second half "Titania" had most of the play, but Mitch in the "Tamar" goal was safe and dealt with all shots in a fine manner. From a breakaway by the "Tamar" forwards Hill obtained possession of the ball and beating Kerridge went in and scored with a shot that gave Yeoman no chance. "Titania" took up the attack but lack of combination amongst the forwards spoilt their chance of scoring. Full time arrived with the "Tamar" winners by one goal to none.

Teams: "Titania": Yeoman: Kerridge, Knighton: Wilkins, Riley, Hutchby: Garside, Hendry, Goodall, Hopkins and Bates.

"Tamar": Mitch: Smith, Hatton: Carroll, Hudson, Bryant: Hill, Bransdale, Grant, Atkey and Abbott.

Referee: Mr. Hollands.

CLUB v. "CURLEW."

This match was played on the Navy "B" ground, and resulted in a draw of one goal each. In the first half the Club were very unfortunate in having two men off the field for the best part of the time, McPhail and Railton both being injured. From the start of the game Club pressed and England receiving a long forward pass beat Wetherby and going in scored with a low shot that Hardy should have stopped, but he let the ball go over his foot. McPhail had already left the field injured and the Club were only playing with ten men when in a scramble near the Club goal Railton turned his ankle and had to be assisted from the field. Playing only nine men the Club were unable to hold the Sailors, who took possession of the game and Lamb getting possession beat the backs and scored with a shot that gave Rodger no chance. The Club were now playing the one back game, and the Sailors forwards were continually offside, the game deteriorating in consequence.

Half time arrived with the score one all.

Resuming, both McPhail and Railton came on but it was noticed that the latter was limping badly, and he was practically a "passenger" during this half. Play was of a very even nature in this half both sides attacking in turn, but both goalkeepers were safe. Gerrard was now limping badly, and J. Rodger worked hard to cover him. During the closing stages of the game "Curlew" had two good chances to take the lead, both Cook and Lamb missing open goals. Full time arrived with the score as stated.

Had the Club not been so unlucky in having players injured in the early part of the game, they would have won, as the goal scored by the Sailors was registered whilst they had only nine men on the field. In the second half they had quite as much of the game as "Curlew".

Teams: Club: G. Rodger: W. Gerrard, J. Rodger: Railton, Stewart, McPhail: McTavish, Begg, Forsyth, Kuhl and England.

"Curlew": Hardy: Wetherby, Cleaves: Daash, Wilson, Griffiths: Taylor, Dyer, Scott, Cook and Lamb.

Referee, Mr. Masters.

S. C. A. v. KOWLOON.

Played on the Kowloon ground before a large crowd, Townsend went to inside left and Crocker went between the sticks. The Chinese played Lai Yuk Tai in place of Fung Tai. Wong Pak Chung started the game and the Chinese took up the attack. Ip Kau gaining possession went in and beat Crocker. Stung by this early reverse Kowloon pressed but Chan So cleared, and the Chinese again took up the attack, but they were unable to increase their lead. Half time arrived with the score one goal in their favour. Restarting Kowloon pressed for a time but the Chinese defence was safe, and Chan So getting possession, sent Wong Pak Chung away to score the second goal for the Chinese. The Chinese continued to press, and with only five minutes to go Ip Kau scored No. 3.

Result: S.C.A. 3, Kowloon 0.

Teams: S.C.A.—Lau Hing Cheung, Chan So, Lai Yuk Tai, Cheung Wing Shing, Leung Tai Fong, Leung Yai Tong, Lau Tak Chung, Fung Man Kit, Wong Pak Chung, Ip Kau, and Chu Kwong Young.

Kowloon—Crocker, Morrison, Pascoe, Coupland, Wayman, Roberts.

Millard, Duncan, Brown, Townsend, and Coombe.

Referee, Mr. Bolton.

The Chinese played a very good game and were far too nippy for the rearranged Kowloon team, whose forward line could not get going at all. By this win the S.C.A. now head the League table.

POLICE v. "AMBROSE."

Played on the Chinese ground. From the start the Sailors took up the attack, and Swan had to stop shots from Batterham and Pew. Five minutes from the start Batterham, gaining possession, beat Clark and McWalter and scored with a fast low shot. From the centre kick the Police took up the attack, and Valentine forced a corner, which was cleared. Play was transferred to mid-field. Watson gained possession and going down the wing passed to Pearson who made the scores level. Play now was in favour of the Police, who kept the Sailors defence busy, but a breakaway by Batterham who sent in a long shot got the Police defence napping and the Sailors were leading. The Police then took up the attack and Robertson gaining scored with a high shot. With the scores level Police again attacked and Pearson sent in a hard drive that Coyah said d but he must have been over the line for the Referee pointed to the centre of the field. Police again got away from the kick and Watson registered No. 4. "Ambrose" attacked but J. Clark cleared and Valentine forced a corner Robertson took the kick, and placed well in front of the goal for Forbes to register No. 5.

Half time arrived with the Sailors pressing. In the second half play was of an even nature with both sides attacking in turn. The game here got rough and the Referee had to caution the players. The "Ambrose" were pressing when Batterham fouled Pearson. Having been previously cautioned this player was ordered off the field. With only ten men "Ambrose" were soon defending their goal, but they held out and time arrived with the score 5 to 3 in favour of the Police.

The Police deserved to win. They played well, their forward line combining nicely. The Sailors were unfortunate in having a player ordered off, but it was evident that his temper had the better of him. Referee, Mr. Chessley.

WILTS. v. "CAIRO."

Played on the Sookumpoo ground before a large crowd of Service spectators. There was no score in the first half although the Soldiers had the better of the game. Early in the second half Gale scored for the Sailors. Swanborough made the scores level five minutes after. The Wilt. continued to attack but could not increase their lead until just before time. During a scramble in the Sailors' goal one of the defenders handled in the penalty area. Moore took the kick, and beat Bishop, giving the Wilt. the lead. Time arrived soon after with the Soldiers winners of a clean and fast game by 2 goals to 1.

Referee, Mr. Jones.

SECOND DIVISION.

UNIVERSITY v. S.C.A. "A."

This game played on the St. Joseph's ground was clean and fast throughout. There was the usual large crowd of supporters of both sides. The University kicked off, and both ends were visited in turn. After about twenty minutes' play Veloso obtained and passed to Lim who scored with a fast ground shot that the Chinese goalie just touched but could not hold. From the centre the Chinese took up the attack, and Leung tested the University goalie. The latter cleared. The game here eased down, the pace no doubt telling on the players.

Half time.—University 1, Chinese 0. Restarting, the Chinese took the offensive, making many determined efforts to equalise. Leung and Fo Kun were conspicuous for some good play. Their efforts were rewarded. Forcing a corner, Leung from a well placed kick made the scores level. The game then livened up, both sides trying hard to get the lead. The Chinese goalkeeper was responsible for some fine saves. Full time arrived with the score one all.

Referee, Mr. Moore.

For the University, Veloso, T. K. Wong and Bon Choe were the outstanding players, while Lung Chiu Yung, Hon Wing and the goalkeeper were the pick of the Chinese team.

ST. JOSEPHS v. PUNJABIS.

Although having most of the play, Punjabis and to admit defeat by one goal to 0.

"CURLEW" RES. v. WILTS RES.

Played at Sookumpoo, this game resulted in a win for the Sailors by 3 goals to 1.

WIRELESS MAN'S THEFT

THREE MONTHS' JAIL FOR ROBBERING SHIPMATES.

Frederick George Kirkham, wireless operator of the s.s. "Talthybius" was charged before Magistrate Wood this morning with the larceny of \$119, the property of To Min, the Chinese bo'sun of the vessel.

Defendant pleaded "guilty." Evidence was given to the effect that on November 13, while the vessel was in Japanese waters, the bo'sun lost \$100 in American notes from a locked drawer in his cabin, opened by means of a duplicate key. He reported the matter to the Captain, and a trap was laid. The bo'sun put another \$19 in the drawer the following day, and then hid himself under the bunk. The defendant entered the cabin and opened the drawer with a key from his pocket. He extracted the \$19. The bo'sun then seized him. When the defendant's cabin was searched a couple of days later, two watches were discovered, a silver one belonging to the Purser, lost earlier in the voyage, and a gold one belonging to the Chief Engineer now at home. The defendant, who is a new hand, having been engaged at home last trip, was sentenced to three months' hard labour.

FIGHT OVER FANTAN.

A GAMBLE AT SEA.

A quarrel at sea between a Chinese passenger on the s.s. "Luisang" and two of the ship's firemen was investigated before Magistrate Lindsay at the Police Court on Saturday. When the firemen charged the passenger with assault.

From the evidence it appeared that some of the crew were having a quiet game of *tinkau* when the passenger butted in, and wanted to take a hand. When his company was declined he made a grab at the pool, consisting of 12 cents, and made off with it. The firemen said they were stabbed in trying to get back the money and offered the evidence of the ship's surgeon and a bloodstained knife to prove it.

The story of the passenger, for whom Mr. Leo d'Almada appeared, was that he lost \$30 at *fantan*, paying up \$25 and promising that the balance of the debt would be forthcoming when the ship reached Hongkong. Several of the players then attacked him with hummers and he had to use a knife to defend himself.

The Magistrate thought the passenger's was the most likely story and that the complainants were both lying. He decided to have all three bound one to keep the peace for a year.

KOWLOON THEATRE.

MARY PICKFORD AND CHARLIE CHAPLIN.

In its current programme the Kowloon Theatre can boast two of film's leading players in the one bill—Mary Pickford in "How Could You Jean?" and Charlie Chaplin in "The Immigrant." Both pictures are worthy of the great names their stars have won. In "The Immigrant" Charlie Chaplin is at his inimitable best, naive, engaging and original. In "How Could You Jean?" Mary Pickford shows why she is the world's sweet heart, investing the title role with her wondrous charm and witchery. Left penniless through the loss of her fortune, Jean decides that since she must earn her own living she will be a cook. As she is too pretty to get a job, she procures an outfit from the Salvation Army and learns a Swedish dialect. Thus fortified, she obtains a position with an elderly couple living in the country. Ted Burton sees the attractive little cook, and a wealthy father despites, takes the job of hired man. How he wins Jean's love makes a very pretty story.

With an efficient orchestra and excellent floor, the Kowloon Theatre offers special inducement to dancing enthusiasts to enjoy their favourite pastime at the conclusion of the picture programme.

UNITED v. CLUB RES.

This match played on the Club ground was very even in the first half, both sides scoring once. In the second half the United had the best of the game and Brown and Payne increased their score. Hutchinson was hurt early in the second half and left the field. Final result, United 3, Club Res. 1.

Referee, Mr. Angus.

R.G.A. RES. v. KOWLOON RES.

Played on the Navy "A" ground, this game resulted in a win for the Gunners by 2 goals to 0. Pomfret being responsible for both goals.

WA HINGTON CONFERENCE.

WHY MR. C. C. WU REFUSED TO ATTEND.

CANTON INFORMATION BUREAU'S STATEMENT.

Canton: November 25. — The following is a translation of Mr. Chao-Chu Wu's reply to a friend's enquiry as to his reasons for declining to attend the Pacific Conference.

I have duly received your letter questioning me as to my refusal of the appointment by the Peking Government as a delegate to the Pacific Conference and at the same time stating that I should treat the Peking mandate in the nature of an admission ticket and be present at the Conference to reap some benefit for the country. What you say is not unreasonable but there are other important reasons for my refusal.

The Peking Government in its handling of foreign affairs, has often disregarded the opinion of the people and is absolutely unreliable. There are two very glaring instances of this: (a) The entire nation was against the signing of the Treaty of Versailles made at the Paris Conference yet the Peking Government actually instructed its delegates to sign it. (b) In the recent negotiations over the Shantung Question, according to the second memorandum presented by Japan, the terms proposed were secretly inspired by the Peking Government. Although the Peking Government denied this, the facts of the matter were very mysterious. So much then for the unreliability of the Peking Government.

Now if I were to go to the Conference, there will be one delegate for the South and three for the North, with the northern delegates in exclusive control of the documents and archives and the diplomatic machinery. Out-numbered and without authority and control the Southern delegate would be to all intents and purposes an outsider. If the northern and southern delegates disagree in any policy and show a split abroad, it would do no good to our country. That is why my attendance at the Conference would be useless.

Furthermore my going would not only be useless but actually harmful. This Government has formally declared that all resolutions passed by the Conference regarding China will not be recognised and will have no effect if the Conference is not attended by a delegation sent officially by this Government. Now if there be a southern representative among the northern delegation at the Conference and the results of the Conference turn out to be unfavourable to China, the south will be also dragged into the whirlpool; but if there be no southern representative, the resolutions of the Conference can be ignored upon the basis of our declaration. While it is not clear what effect our recognition or non-recognition will have upon the results of the Conference, yet there will be ample room for future negotiation as we shall not have borne the same responsibilities.

While you enlarge on the advisability of presenting a united front towards the foreign powers, meaning to put up a show of united front, you forget that the foreign powers know perfectly well that China is, in reality, not united and can not put up a united front and they can not be deceived by just adding a Southern Delegate to the Northern Delegation. I am of the opinion that if our country desires to get a favourable result from the Conference, we should freely and frankly speak the truth and let the foreigners know clearly the actual conditions and the true causes of the disunion of our country, so that those who are well disposed towards us may know how to help us and those who may not be so well disposed towards us will have nothing to find fault with us. There may be hope when the medicine is prescribed in accordance with the diagnosis of the disease. This is not the opinion of myself alone but that of many foreign observers as well.

A Chinese was yesterday knocked down by motor car No. 156, in Gascoigne Road Kowloon. He was injured about the legs. The driver stopped the car and removed the injured man to the Kwong Wah Hospital. The man's injuries are not considered serious.

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E. IRVING,

Director of Education,

Education Office.

26th November, 1921.

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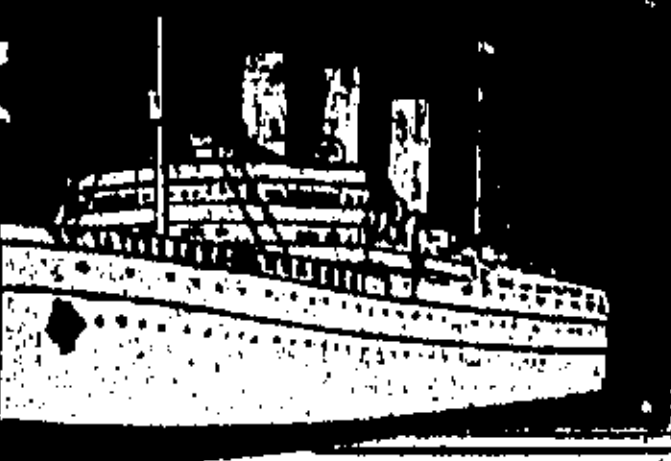
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9.—B. F.	Helenus.
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10.—E. & A.	Eastern.
12.—B. F.	Teiresias.
15.—B. I.	Tadela.
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Dec. 8.—B. F.	Talhybicus.
29.—B. F.	Tyndareus.
Jan. 27.—B. F.	Proteilaus.
Feb. 17.—B. F.	Ixon.
Mar. 10.—B. F.	Talhybicus.

FROM JAVA.

Dec. 3.—J. O. J. L.	Haidia.
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FROM BOMBAY.

Dec. 10.—P. & O.	Dumera.
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FROM CALCUTTA.

Dec. 6.—B. I.	Takada.
9.—N. Y. K.	Yamagata Maru.

FROM MELBOURNE & SYDNEY

Dec. 19.—E. & A.	Arsifura.
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FROM VANCOUVER.

Dec. 2.—O. P. S.	Empress of Russia.
14.—B. F.	Tyndareus.
Jan. 12.—B. F.	Proteilaus.
Feb. 2.—B. F.	Ixon.
23.—B. F.	Talhybicus.
Mar. 16.—B. F.	Tyndareus.
Apr. 13.—B. F.	Proteilaus.

FROM LONDON.

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Dec. 10.—N. Y. K.	Mishima Maru.
11.—O. L.	Glenavoy.
13.—P. & O.	Dongola.
14.—O. L.	Glenavoy.
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21.—O. L.	Glenavoy.
22.—N. Y. K.	Yamagata Maru.
27.—P. & O.	Egypt.
Jan. 17.—P. & O.	Nagoya.
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Feb. 14.—P. & O.	Khiva.
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Apr. 11.—P. & O.	Plassy.
26.—P. & O.	Dongola.

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14.—B. F.	Euryppus.
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20.—B. F.	Myrmidon.
27.—B. F.	Cyclops.
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9.—B. F.	Keemun.
10.—B. F.	Calchas.
16.—B. F.	Plassy.
23.—B. F.	Thema.
27.—B. F.	Glenavoy.
28.—B. F.	Demodocus.
Feb. 2.—B. F.	Pyrhus.

FROM COPENHAGEN.

Nov. 26.—E. A.	Java.
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Plaintiff was Miss Minnie Sutton, of Upper Walthamstow-road, Walthamstow, and the defendant Mr. Sydney Pearce, of North-road, Walthamstow.

Mr. Wilfrid Barton, for the plaintiff, explained that no one appeared to be present representing the defendant, and the defendant himself had not attended the court.

Miss Sutton said she was a domestic servant. In January, 1913, Pearce introduced her to his parents as his fiancée. On December 27, 1917, while on active service with the Army, he wrote—

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His Lordship: Something had happened?

Plaintiff: Of course, we had tiffs, as all lovers do.

Plaintiff stated that at Oak Hill on a Sunday night in July defendant went into a public-house to get a drink. She did not like it. There were words, and he told her she could go. He had since ignored her in the street.

His Lordship, giving judgment, said the defendant, although not a drunkard, apparently drank against the plaintiff's wish, and the home of such a man and a woman of quick temper would be a house of prolonged wretchedness and misery. He should award no damages for loss of matrimonial bargain. The woman, in his view, lost nothing worth having. Still, she was entitled to some damages. She had not lost the matrimonial market entirely, though he agreed it was diminished. He would award her £25.

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To cut down the French Budget, which seems likely to show a deficit of £100,000,000 M. Manoury, chairman of the Finance Committee of the Chamber, recommends the dismissal of 50,000 Civil Servants. This, he says, would not injure the public services.

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LEAGUE CRICKET.

K.C.C. v. C.S.C.C.

Kowloon batting first made a disastrous start losing five good wickets for 23 runs. Ling was mainly responsible for the damage. Spinks and Braga then got together and raised the score to 73 before being separated. The innings totalled 121.

Civil Service having made 84 for 5 wickets looked like having the match in hand, but it rapidly became dark and the side could only make 96 in all, thus losing the match by 25 runs. Sayer and Fincher were the only two able to make any show, the efforts of the latter being extremely creditable considering the bad light he was playing in. A magnificent left handed catch by the wicket-keeper brought his dismissal. Evans' 5 wickets for 13 runs was a fine performance.

Scores:—

Player	Runs	Wickets
B. D. Evans, b Ling	7	1
Lt. A. G. Macdonald, l.b.w. Ling	2	5
C. I. Stapleton, b Ling	2	1
C. Dance, c Ling, b Reed	1	1
Capt. R. G. Spinks, c Fincher, b Hamilton	35	1
K. R. Macaskill, c and b Reed	2	1
E. L. Braga, c Reed, b Hamilton	29	1
J. Stalker, b Hamilton	16	1
F. G. Thompson, not out	9	0
J. P. Robinson, st. Strange, b Sayer	1	1
R. Pestonji, b Sayer	6	1
Extras	8	0
Total	121	0

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
Reed	10	1	37	2
Ling	6	0	18	3
E. W. Hamilton	10	3	35	3
Sayer	7	1	23	2

CIVIL SERVICE

Player	Runs	Wickets
G. R. Sayer, b Stalker	25	1
F. J. de Rome, b Evans	4	1
R. E. Wickett, c Spinks, b Stalker	0	2
H. F. Strange, b Evans	2	1
E. W. Hamilton, c Pestonji, b Stalker	13	1
F. C. Fincher, c Dance, b Evans	30	1
F. E. Dunkley, l.b.w. Macdonald	0	1
F. Ling, b Macdonald	0	1
E. B. Reed, c Stapleton, b Evans	5	1
W. H. Edmunds, not out	0	0
C. J. Tacchi, b Evans	0	1
Extras	4	0
Total	96	0

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
Evans	11	4	13	5
Stalker	10	0	49	3
Pestonji	4	0	21	0
Macdonald	3	0	9	2

K.C.C. 2ND v. C.S.C.C. 2ND.

These two teams met in the second division of the league. Kowloon made little of the Civil Service bowling and won comfortably.

Scores:—

Player	Runs	Wickets
D. M. Goodall, c Sandford, b Taylor	35	1
R. E. Lunsell, c Smalley, b Gorvin	0	1
F. E. Lawrence, st. Sandford, b Taylor	71	1

C. P. James, b Gorvin

Player	Runs	Wickets
A. O. Brown, st. Sandford, b Gorvin	11	1
E. J. Edwards, b Gorvin	16	1
F. Evelyn, not out	23	0
E. W. Alderson, c Sandford, b Taylor	4	1
H. Overy, not out	13	0
L. S. Bates and W. S. Drake did not bat	9	0
Extras	9	0
Total (five wks.)	183	0

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
Gorvin	10	2	51	2
Sara	5	0	31	0
Cowen	7	0	37	2
Taylor	10	0	55	3

CIVIL SERVICE 2ND XI.

Player	Runs	Wickets
R. Taylor, c Evelyn, b James	12	1
H. Sandford, b James	32	1
Dr. Smalley, c Edwards, b James	5	1
C. Sara, l.b.w. James	4	1
W. Cowen, not out	25	0
W. J. Gorvin, run out	7	1
C. S. Brockburn, run out	7	1
Lt. Thornton, c Edwards b Overy	2	1
W. J. Bates not out	0	0
Lt. Harding and Spillet did not bat	0	0
Extras	6	0
Total (six wks.)	105	0

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
James	16	0	44	4
Brown	5	2	21	0
Overy	8	1	16	1
Drake	4	1	7	0
Evelyn	2	0	6	0
Lawrence	2	1	5	0

I. R. C. v. C. R. C.

The bowlers had the upper hand in this match and the scoring was consequently low. The Chinese batted first and all for 80. G. Lee, with 36 being the only batsman to make some sort of a stand. The Indians did better, and scoring 101 for eight wickets, won comfortably. S.H. Ismail's 31 was the best contribution.

Scores:—

Player	Runs	Wickets
W. Lok Wei, c S. D. Ismail b Arculli	13	1
G. A. N. Hall, b Arculli	0	1
Lo Man-pan, b Curreen	3	1
G. Lee, c O. Ismail, b Abbas	36	1
J. Wong, c A. H. Rumjahn, b Arculli	7	1
Ho Wing-kin, c Curreen, b Abbas	0	1
A. J. Kew, b Abbas	0	1
W. Gittins, l.b.w. Arculli	0	1
M. K. Lo, c O. Ismail, b Arculli	0	1
H. Ching, not out	9	0
Chan Man-woon, c S. A. R. Ismail, b Curreen	0	1
Extras	3	0
Total	80	0

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
Arculli	14	4	26	5
Curreen	8	1	30	2
M. H. Abbas	6	0	21	3

I.R.C.

Player	Runs	Wickets
S. H. Ismail, l.b.w. Ho Wing-kin	7	1
A. H. Rumjahn, run out	6	1
S. S. Curreen, c Ching, b Lee	13	1
M. H. Abbas, b Lee	0	1
S. D. Ismail, c Hall, b Ching	31	1
S. A. Ismail, c Kew, b Lee	12	1
O. Ismail, c Lo, b Lee	0	1
D. Rumjahn, b Ching	4	1
A. el Arculli, not out	13	0
S. A. R. Ismail, not out	5	0

S. Abbas, did not bat

Player	Runs	Wickets
Extras	5	0
Total (eight wks.)	101	0

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
Lee	13	6	27	4
Ho Wing-kin	1	1	32	1
Ching	7	0	32	2
Gittins	2	0	5	0

I.R.C. v. POLICE.

The Indians' second string scored a win over the Police by 14 runs. This was the batsmen's game and high scores were obtained. Alexander with 45 was the Police's best contributor. For the Indians, C. Rumjahn was the highest scorer with 40.

Scores:—

Player	Runs	Wickets
Alexander, c and b A. K. Minu	45	1
R. Earnshaw, l.b.w. b Madar	13	1
Grimmett, b Madar	29	1
King, c Rumjahn, b Madar	19	1
Booker, run out	1	1
C. Earnshaw, run out	0	1
Condon, b Kitchell	5	1
Hallam, b Kitchell	2	1
Carpenter, not out	8	0
Clark, c and b A. K. Minu	0	1
Hillier, c and b N. Sadik	0	1
Extras	15	0
Total	137	0

Fall of wickets:—1-58, 2-77, 3-115, 4-116, 5-117, 6-119, 7-123, 8-124, 9-136, 10-137.

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
Kitchell	10	3	39	4
E. A. Moosdeen	3	0	19	0
A. H. Madar	8	0	47	4
A. K. Minu	3	0	16	2

I.R.C.

Player	Runs	Wickets
R. Razarin, b Grimmett	11	1
E. Moosdeen, b Grimmett	13	1
Y. A. Wahub, b Grimmett	18	1
A. K. Minu, b R. Earnshaw	24	1
O. Rumjahn, not out	40	0
M. Sadik, c Carpenter, b Earnshaw	5	1
E. A. Moosdeen, c and b Earnshaw	0	1
A. H. Madar, c Earnshaw, b Booker	5	1
N. Kitchell, run out	20	1
A. M. Sammy, run out	9	1
A. A. Razak, b Grimmett	0	1
Extras	6	0
Total	151	0

FALL OF WICKETS.

Fall of wickets:—1-26, 2-29, 3-70, 4-70, 5-81, 6-118, 7-145, 8-146, 9-148, 10-151.

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
T. H. King	5	0	35	0
Grimmett	12	1	39	4
Earnshaw	5	4	19	2
Alexander	3	0	16	0
C. Earnshaw	8	3	20	1
Booker	2	0	16	1

R.G.A. v. R.K.C.C.

This match was a friendly affair on the H.K.C.C. ground. The home team batted first and put together 169. The Gunners were able to reply with only 114 and suffered a big defeat. Hancock was the high scorer for the Civilians with 61. Oliver and Franks each contributed 34 for the Gunners.

Scores:—

Player	Runs	Wickets
T. E. Pearce, c Franks, b Davies	14	1
E. J. R. Mitchell, b Baker	32	1
A. C. Claxton, b Baker	10	1
Major Edwards, c Franks, b Davies	20	1
R. Hancock, b Barchard	51	1
F. H. Farthing, c Davies, b Downing	11	1
Capt. Murray, b Barchard	3	1
A. B. Raworth, c Chester, b Downing	3	1
F. M. Young, c Graham, b Baker	7	1
W. J. Hope, st. Franks, b Barchard	7	1
L. J. Davies, not out	0	1
Extras	11	0
Total	169	0

Fall of wickets:—1-35, 2-56, 3-76, 4-83, 5-141, 6-146, 7-153, 8-155, 9-169, 10-169.

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
Davies	14	1	58	2
Baker	14	1	61	3
Downing	4	0	28	2
Barchard	5	1	11	3

Capt. Oliver, c Edwards, b Young

Player	Runs	Wickets
Lt. Franks, c Young, b Farthing	34	1
Capt. Davies, c Pearce, b Farthing	3	1
Lt. Chester, c Mitchell, b Farthing	16	1
Bdt. Baker, b Farthing	2	1
Major Downing, l.b.w. Farthing	0	1
Lt. Graham, played on wicket, b Hope	2	1
C.S.M. Williams, b Williams	2	1
Sgt. Barchard, b Farthing	4	1
Lt. Parkes, b Farthing	0	1
Capt. Meredith, not out	3	0
Extras	14	0
Total	114	0

Fall of wickets:—1-67, 2-14, 3-88, 4-92, 5-92, 6-102, 7-105, 8-109, 9-109, 10-114.

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
Young	8	0	40	1
Edwards	4	0	31	0
Farthing	9	1	20	8
Hope	5	0	10	1

H.K.C.C. 2ND v. C.C.C.

This was played on the Craigen-gower ground. The home team disposed of the visitors for 114 and then kept their end up, winning by six wickets.

Scores:—

Player	Runs	Wickets
M. M. Watson, c Omar b Paice	4	1
A. S. Excell, b Omar	4	1
E. G. Lammert, c Omar b Paice	17	1
D. Reid, b Omar	43	1
B. D. C. Morgan, c Jex b Paice	6	1
W. Fraser, c and b Omar	0	1
L. D. McNicol, l.b.w. Omar	2	1
M. C. Sandberg, Omar	4	1
J. R. Way, b Omar	8	1
W. W. Mackenzie, st. Jex b Major	10	1
H. Benson, not out	1	1
Extras	19	0
Total	114	0

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
Omar	16	5	33	6
Paice	8	0	36	3
Abbas	7	1	20	0
Major	1	0	5	1

CRAIGENGOWER.

Player	Runs	Wickets
Wilson, b Lammert	22	1
S. Jex, Reid	60	1
Y. Abbas, c Mackenzie b Reid	11	1
U. M. Omar, c Reid, b Lammert	11	1
B. W. Bradbury, not out	2	1
Marsh, b Lammert	2	1
Major, not out	1	1
Extras	10	0
Total (five wks.)	119	0

A. A. FATTYDAD, BARNES, ANDERSON

and Paice did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

Player	O.	M.	R.	W.
Sandberg	5	0	23	0
Lammert	13	2	35	3
Morgan	4	0	23	0
Reid	8	2	17	2
McNicol	2	0	11	0

GOLF.

"HOLING OUT IN ONE"

AT SHANGHAI.

In the course of a golf match at Kiangwan a week ago, Mr. J. Withington created a sensation by holing out in one at the 6th hole. The usual penalty was imposed.

ENGLAND v. SCOTLAND.

A keen struggle resulted from the match between teams representing England and Scotland played over the Old Course at Farnley yesterday

LORD NORTHCLEFFE

IMPORTANT SPEECH AT PEKING.

WE MUST HANG TOGETHER.

Peking, Nov. 17.—Lord Northcliffe in a speech to day before a large representative gathering of the Anglo-American Association said:

"I am gratified to find in faraway Peking there is an outpost of the great movement towards Anglo-American unity, which has had such marked manifestation in the United States and Britain during the last few years. These manifestations are many. For example, the purchase of the Sulgrave Estate, the ancestral home of the Washington family, hidden away in the heart of little England, by joint subscriptions of Americans and British, has given us a shrine, to which every year thousands of Americans and British make pilgrimage for the consecration of Anglo-Saxon unity. The presentation by the United States of the Lincoln statue to the national Valhalla at Westminster is another.

OUR SIMILARITIES.

"The glorious brotherhood of the British and American Peoples in 1917 and 1918 shows the world that, when trouble comes, the English-speaking nations, whatever their trivial family disputes, unite as one man in the cause for which they struggled—for Magna Carta, sealed at Runnymede, in the long Civil War twist Cavaliers and Roundheads, in the 17th century, and in the great struggle for freedom, which, beginning at Boston Harbour, culminated in the great victory of Washington's army at Yorktown.

The influx of many diverse nationalities into the United States has not weakened the fibre of the British stock, which has spread westward from Plymouth in the north and from Jamestown in the south. To this day among the chiefs of the Federal Government of Washington it is rare to find any other than British names. With the same common law, the same ideals, many games, and the same love of home-town and family, we still after three centuries are a very similar people. Never in history has there been a time when we should be closer together than at present. Here in the Far East our interests are identical.

DESIRE FOR FAIR PLAY.

"Neither of us desires any monopoly of power of commercial supremacy. Both desire fair play for China and the safety of those possessions which we guard in the interest of civilization. At present at Peking there is what may appear from afar a kind of commercial earthquake but I doubt whether the wealth of China, the resultant of the toil of its 400,000,000 inhabitants, is likely to suffer a serious permanent blow in consequence of what is happening today. In any case it is a matter for the Chinese. Our aims are the uplift and stabilization of China in order that she may take her place with the nations.

"The great Conference at Washington, to which for many months we have been looking forward with such expectancy, has not yet reached the stages when it is necessary for Anglo-American co-operation to display itself to the world. The United States, Canada, and thousands in Australasia are much concerned at the prolongation of the Alliance beyond the intentions of the original makers—the Alliance by which Japan has benefited beyond her wildest dreams.

VIEWS ON THE ALLIANCE.

"Before entering Japan, I thought it wise in view of the hospitality, which had been offered me by Japanese friends, to explain my exact position with regard to the Anglo-Japanese treaty. I said: 'During the last two years I have been gradually coming to the conclusion that the Anglo-Japanese Agreement has outrun its usefulness. Japan faithfully carried out her compact during the war and has been magnificently rewarded for her services. The purpose of the Washington Conference—a meeting of equals—is to reach a mutual agreement but the United States is handicapped by an arrangement already made by Japan and Great Britain concerning China, the chief problem of the Pacific.'

"That statement did not meet with the protest which might have been expected from Japan. The organs of the military party did not appear to like it. Some newspapers, which pretended to be English but which are Japanese and conducted by the military party, did not like it. A number of newspapers publicly approved as much as they dared and many newspapers and people told me that they welcomed anything that would rid them of the perpetual consensory under which the Japanese press lives. For the Anglo-Japanese Treaty, by strengthening the hands of the military controllers of the press, weakens the freedom of the Japanese newspapers.

A DICTATORSHIP OF YOUNG.

"Japan seems to be in much the same position as Germany before the

late war. Nominally a democracy, she is absolutely governed by four men, whose intentions may be judged by looking at the constantly changing map of the Far East and the immense expansion of Japanese armaments. That this military party is hostile to the United States can be gathered from many of their publications which are obviously approved by the four rulers of Japan.

"They have absolute power over the printing press. We took little notice of the threats of Bernhardi before the war and Americans are not worrying themselves much about 'If Japan and America fight' by the famous Japanese Lieutenant-General Sato or Hiramoto's 'Shall Japan and America fight?' or other dozens of such publications on the market. These works show lamentable ignorance of the United States, her economic power, her fleet and her capacity for raising armies. Moreover they display absolute ignorance of the state of feeling throughout Australasia, the near neighbour of Japan.

"These British people, as far as I can make out from contact with masses of them, detest the Anglo-Japanese Agreement as heartily as the Canadians. That the Anglo-Japanese Agreement has had the effect of strengthening the military party in Japan in its relations with the United States and even with Britain is obvious to those who follow events. During the last few months we have had intimations in the British Parliament that the Agreement was regarded with favour by the British Government. I trust that the British delegates at Washington realize by contact with our American friends that the Agreement is regarded, I think slightly, as hostile to the United States not by intention but in result. At this moment one rejoices to see that it looks as though President Harding's splendid effort for the reduction of armaments will succeed, but reduction does not mean the absolute elimination of warfare. I believe that Britain at long last will abandon the Agreement in the interest of progressive Japan, in the interest of the United States and in our own interest, and the result will be a better understanding between the nations in the Pacific, Britain and America and particularly Australia.

WHAT ABOUT SINGAPORE.

"The Japanese war-books, to which I have referred accurately represent the military party of Japan. They constantly twist the United States with having no base in the Far East. They seem to regard Pearl Harbour as the nearest important American sea-station. When the Americans came to our assistance in 1917 there were certain bases in the southwest of Ireland to which we were very glad to invite them. If at any time the United States is menaced in the Far East, if at any time her magnificent work in the Philippines is disturbed, is there any reason why Singapore should not be available for their fleets? It seems that our position is that Britain and America must hang together in the Far East or some time or other be hanged separately. Like everyone I am eager that the delegates at Washington shall establish lasting peace in the Pacific and also for China. I believe that peace will be hastened and made as permanent as possible by the continuous efforts of the Anglo-American Societies throughout the world.

"That there are trade disputes everywhere we know. American methods are somewhat hasty and do not always display the knowledge we have gained by experience in the Far East. The position is exactly the same as before the war when we went through a phase in Great Britain called 'the American invasion' of our trade. People said that we should be driven not only from the world's markets but also from our own but, as a matter of fact, British trade in no way suffered. I find, as I travel round the world, that John Bull, in spite of being a perpetual growler, is doing uncommonly well, and extremely well in such American outposts as the Philippines. The trade disputes, prior to 1917, did not interfere with the union of hearts and fleets in 1917. With the Irish question out of the way, and it is well on the way to it, I believe that a cordial Anglo-American handshake will result. I am glad to know that the Anglo-American Society in Peking is doing a not inconsiderable share towards that result."

THE BOXER INDEMNITY.

Peking, Nov. 18.—Lord Northcliffe was the guest of the Anglo-Chinese Association at a Chinese luncheon today. In his speech he advocated the devotion of a certain proportion of the Boxer Indemnity towards the education of Chinese students; adding that they should be educated up to a certain standard before leaving China so as to ensure that they did not return to China devoid of a proper knowledge of Chinese learning. A hundred persons were present, including the most distinguished Chinese and British residents.

BANK.

ASIA BANKING CORPORATION
(AN AMERICAN BANK)

CAPITAL: ... G \$4,000,000
SURPLUS & UNDIVIDED PROFITS: ... G \$2,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: NEW YORK.
BRANCH: SAN FRANCISCO.

HEAD OFFICE FOR THE ORIENT.

SHANGHAI.

BRANCHES:

CANTON, HANKOW, MANILA, TIENTSIN,
CHANGSHA, PEKING, SINGAPORE.

D. M. BIGGAB.

Manager.

EXCHANGE.

Hongkong, November, 28, 1921.

On London—

Bank, Wire ... 2/7-3/4

" On demand ... 2/7-3/4

" 30 days sight ... 2/7-3/4

" 4 months sight ... 2/7-3/4

Credits, 4 months sight ... 2/7-3/4

Documentary 4 months sight ... 2/7-3/4

On Paris—

On demand ... 765

Credits, 4 months sight ... 825

On New York—

On demand ... 892

Credits, 60 days sight ... 65

On Bombay—

Wire ... 197

On Calcutta—

Wire ... 197

On Singapore—

On demand ... 114

On Manila—

On demand ... 109 1/2

On Shanghai—

On demand ... 109 1/2

30 days sight (private paper)

On Yokohama—

On demand ... 110

Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tola) ... 47.60

Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) ... 7.30 n.

Silver (per oz.) ... 37 1/2

SUBSIDIARY COINS.

Hongkong 60 cents sub. ... 1/2 pm.

" 10 ... 1/2 pm.

Canton coins ... 1/2 pm.

Bar Silver in Hongkong ... 19 1/2 pm.

Chinese Copper Cash ... 4 pm.

Chinese Copper Cents ... 4 pm.

Rate of Native Interest ... 5 1/2 p.a.

Chinese Sub. Coin ... 16 p.

Hongkong Sub. Coin ... 1/2 pm.

NOTICE.

PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS.

7.00 a.m. to 8.00 a.m. every 10 minutes

8.00 a.m. to 9.00 a.m. " 10 "

9.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. " 15 "

11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. " 15 "

12.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. " 10 "

2.30 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. " 15 "

4.00 p.m. to 6.10 p.m. " 10 "

NIGHT CARS

8.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m., 9.30 p.m.

9.30 p.m. to 11.45 p.m. every 30 minutes

11.45 p.m.

SATURDAYS

EXTRA CAR—12.00 midnight

SUNDAYS

7.30 a.m. and 7.45 a.m.

8.00 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. every 15 minutes

9.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. " 10 "

11.30 a.m. to 12.00 noon. " 10 "

12.00 noon to 1.00 p.m. " 10 "

1.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. " 15 "

4.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. " 10 "

NIGHT CARS as on Week days.

SPECIAL CARS by arrangement at the

Company's Office, Alexandra Buildings, Des

Vaux Road Central

Season and punch tickets available for all

cars not all ready full running at the time

stated in the Company's time tables, but not

for special cars, can be obtained on applica-

tion at the Company's Office. No Season tickets

will be issued until payment thereof has been

made in Bank Notes or by Cheque or Compro-

dore order representing Bank Notes.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,

General Managers.

LOCAL SHARE MARKET.

HONGKONG, NOVEMBER 28th, 1921.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

11 A.M.

Names. Stock Exchange. Sharebrokers' Association.

Banks.

H.S.B.C. T.T. selling rate ... 3/7 1/2

and on London ... 2/7 1/2

Hongkong Bank ... 70 1/2

do. New ... 70 1/2

East Asia Bank ... 115 b, Old, 102 b. New

Marine Insurance

Canton Insurance ... 44 1/2 b.

North China Insurance ... 144 n.

Union Insurance ... 242 1/2

Yangtze Insurance ... 24 n.

Far Eastern ... 22 1/2 n.

Fire Insurance

China Fire Insurance ... 125 b.

Hongkong Fire Insurance ... 387 1/2 b.

Shipping

Douglas ... 45 n.

H.K. Steamships ... 24 1/2 b.

Indo-China (Pref.) ... 20 1/2 b.

do. (Def.) ... 20 1/2 b.

Shell Transport ... 90 n.

Star Ferries ... 38 n.

Refineries

China Sugar ... 185 n.

Malayan Sugar ... 4 1/2 n.

Mining

Kwangtung Mining Adm. ... 90 n.

Langkat ... 10 n.

Shanghai Loans ... Comb. T 10 n.

S'hai Exp. Operations ... 10 n.

Rauha ... 1 b.

Trochu Mines ... 22 1/2 b.

Urul Caspian ... 15 n.

Rougnet Con. ... P 180 b.

Docks, Wharves, Godowns, &c.

H. & K. Wharves ... 93 n.

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S'hai Docks ... 119 n.

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New Engineering ... 10 n.

Lands, Hotels & Buildings

Central Estate ... 145 b.

Hongkong Hotels ... 22 n.

Hongkong Lands ... 205 n.

Humphreys ... 10 1/2 b.

Kowloon Lands ... 48 b.

Lank Reclamation ... 107 n.

West Point ... 55 b.

Cotton Mills

New Cotton Mills, Ltd. ... T 10 n.

Kung Yik ... 10 n.

Lau Kung Mow ... 15 n.

Oriental ... 10 n.

Shanghai Cotton ... T 135 n.

Yangtze Cotton ... T 135 n.

Miscellaneous

China Borneo ... 20 n. 20 n.

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BANKS

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI
BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL ... \$15,000,000

RESERVE FUNDS ... £2,500,000

Silver ... \$21,500,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF ... \$15,000,000

PROPRIETORS ...

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Hon. Mr. A. C. Lang, H. P. White, Esq.

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Hon. Mr. A. G. STEPHEN.

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Manager Shanghai—G. H. STITT, Esq.

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WESTMINSTER & PARC'S BANK, Ltd.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened in LOCAL

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will be credited on application.

Hongkong, February 28, 1921.

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AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORP-

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application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed on

the minimum monthly balances at 3 1/2

PER CENT. per annum.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION,

A. G. STEPHEN, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 14, 1921.

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(NEDERLANDSE TRADING SOCIETY.)

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Authorized Capital F. 100,000,000 f. 3,333,333

Paid-up Capital ... F. 80,000,000 f. 2,666,666

Reserve Fund ... F. 18,978,280 f. 631,044

Special Reserves ... F. 40,180,000 f. 1,332,667

HEAD OFFICE—Amsterdam.

Branches at:

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HEAD AGENCY—Batavia.

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Bandjermasin, Bandoeng, Batavia,

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Kobe, London, Lyons, Manilla, Medan,

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Alkali Manufacturers
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Hughes & Hoagh.—Des Voeux Rd.,
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 Des Voeux Road Central.

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Lee Koo. Building Contractor,
 21, Wellington Street. Tel. 1438.
 Manager, Lee In Cheung.

Cigarette & Tobacco Merchants
The China Industrial Commercial Tobacco Co., Ltd.
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 37, Queen's Road Central, 1st floor.
 Telephone address "Hindenburg".
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